Assembly Bill No. 489

CHAPTER 187

An act to amend Section 2196.1 of the Streets and Highways Code, relating to transportation.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 489, Bermudez. Ports: transportation network.

Existing law requires the Port of Los Angeles and the Port of Long Beach to evaluate changes to the goods movement network to gauge adherence by those ports to the certain state goals relative to utilization of and congestion at ports and to collect statistics regarding compliance with federal, state, and local efforts to achieve certain related objectives. Existing law requires the ports to report to the Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, the Office of Goods Movement of the Department of Transportation, and the Assembly and Senate Committees on Transportation in this regard by January 31, 2005, and annually thereafter through 2007.

This bill would instead require the ports to provide those reports by January 1, 2006, and annually thereafter through 2008. Because the bill would place increased duties on the ports, it would impose a state-mandated local program.

The California Constitution requires the state to reimburse local agencies and school districts for certain costs mandated by the state. Statutory provisions establish procedures for making that reimbursement.

This bill would provide that, if the Commission on State Mandates determines that the bill contains costs mandated by the state, reimbursement for those costs shall be made pursuant to these statutory provisions.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 2196.1 of the Streets and Highways Code is amended to read:

2196.1. The Port of Los Angeles and the Port of Long Beach, to the extent practicable, shall provide the statistical data on imports and exports obtained pursuant to Section 2196 to the Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, the Office of Goods Movement of the Department of Transportation, and the Assembly and Senate Committees on Transportation. That information shall be provided on or before January 31, 2006, and annually thereafter through 2008.

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SEC. 2. If the Commission on State Mandates determines that this act contains costs mandated by the state, reimbursement to local agencies and school districts for those costs shall be made pursuant to Part 7 (commencing with Section 17500) of Division 4 of Title 2 of the Government Code.